

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE UNITED STATES DEFARIMENT OF COMMIT United States Pattent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Viginia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NUMBER

FILING OR 371 (c) DATE

FIRST NAMED APPLICANT

ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER

10/779,554

02/09/2004

Andrew J. Hull

84432

CONFIRMATION NO. 9521

FORMALITIES LETTER

OC000000012683338

Office Of Counsel, Bldg 112T Naval Undersea Warfare Center Division, Newport 1176 Howell Street Newport, RI 02841-1708

Date Mailed: 05/17/2004

NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawings have a line quality that is too light to be reproduced (weight of all lines and letters must be heavy enough to permit adequate reproduction) or text that is illegible (reference characters, sheet numbers, and view numbers must be plain and legible) see 37 CFR 1.84(I) and (p)(1)); See Figure(s) 4A,4B,5A,5B,6,7,8A,8B,9A,9B & 10-12.

Replies should be mailed to:

Mail Stop Missing Parts

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria VA 22313-1450

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

Customer Service Center

Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE





DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

OFFICE OF COUNSEL
NAVAL UNDERSEA WARFARE CENTER DIVISION
1176 HOWELL STREET
NEWPORT RI 02841-1708

IN REPLY REFER TO:

JMK:amc Ser 4000C/P242 Attorney Docket No. 84432 15 July 2004

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Applicant: ANDREW J. HULL Serial No. 10/779,554 Filed: 9 February 2004

For: A METHOD FOR ESTIMATING THE PROPERTIES OF A SOLID MATERIAL SUBJECTED TO COMPRESSIONAL FORCES

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers with the above-identified application to replace drawings in compliance with 37 CFR § 1.84 and 37 CFR § 1.121.

Kindly charge any additional fee under 37 CFR 1.16(e) for filing missing parts of Application with filing date granted to Deposit Account No. 14-0590.

Respectfully

JAMES M. KASISCHKE Actorney of Record Reg. No. 36562

Encl:

(1) Copy of Notice to File Corrected Application Papers w/ 11 sheets of drawings

RECEIVED JUL 22 2004 OIPE/JCMS

James M. Korasa Ha

DATE OF SIGNATURE